

## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A bag sealing apparatus including a receiving member 34 attached to a fixed plate 31 and a sealing member (heating plate) 33 attached to a movable plate 32 that is disposed beneath the fixed plate 31. The upward and downward movement of the movable plate 32 is guided by the guide shafts 35. A plurality of rubber tubes 36 are connected between the fixed plate 31 and movable plate 32. The rubber tubes 36 expand in the radial direction and contract in length when compressed air is supplied and recover to their original state when the compressed air is discharged; accordingly, the movable plate 32 is moved to and from the fixed plate 31, and at the same time, the heating plates 33 and 34 are separated from and contacted with each other.